

Stallions.

1888, art. 56, sec. 99. 1860, art. 56, sec. 102. 1841, ch. 194, sec. 5.

116. The owner or keeper of every stallion or jackass shall, before being permitted to stand such animal, pay to the clerk of the circuit court for some one of the counties in this State the highest sum which he intends to ask or receive for the season of one mare; and the receipt of the said clerk with the seal of his court attached thereto for said sum shall be the license for standing such stallion or jackass for one year from the date thereof; provided that in no case shall the sum directed to be paid by this section for such license be less than ten dollars; and that every stallion or jackass upon which the said tax is paid shall be exempt from all other State tax.

Ibid. sec. 100. 1860, art. 56, sec. 103. 1841, ch. 194, sec. 5.

117. Any owner or keeper standing any stallion or jackass without a license shall forfeit and pay twice the sum authorized and required to be paid in the preceding section, one-half to the State and the other half to the informer.

Ibid. sec. 101. 1860, art. 56, sec. 104. 1841, ch. 194, sec. 5.

118. Upon information being given upon oath to the sheriff of any county in which such animal is standing that the owner or keeper is standing such animal without license, the sheriff shall distrain for the same by seizing such stallion or jackass and make sale of the same for the amount thus forfeited.*

Telegraph and Express Companies.

Ibid. sec. 102. 1872, ch. 355. 1874, ch. 370, sec. 4.

119. It shall not be lawful for any telegraph company or for any person, firm, partnership or corporation to do the business of telegraphing for profit or hire in any way within this State, or to receive compensation therefor or to open any office for the transaction of such business within this State, without first obtaining a license therefor as hereinafter provided.

Ibid. sec. 103. 1872, ch. 355. 1874, ch. 370, sec. 5.

120. It shall not be lawful for any express or transportation company, or for any person, firm, partnership, association or corporation, to do the business of transporting or forwarding goods or packages of any sort, or of any article of trade or traffic for profit or hire within this State, without first obtaining a license therefor as hereinafter provided.

*See *ante*, Article 27, "Crimes and Punishments," sub-title "Fraud—Stallions," sec. 177.